Teens and Technology Course 2012

**Please read all about the course requirements and
use the links at bottom of the page to register.**

**Workshop Structure
2-day regional workshops in four locations across the state
1-day end of course workshop on April 6th at ICfL**

You may register for Day One, Day Two or BOTH DAYS. **<u>You are strongly
encouraged to participate in both days of the workshop.</u>**

All participants registered for **Day One or both days will be required to attend** the
final workshop in Boise on April 6 and will have travel reimbursed.

Those participating ONLY in Day Two are not required to attend the final workshop in
Boise and **will not be** reimbursed for travel.

Read the course goals and requirements carefully before registering for the course. All
participants will be expected to meet all of the course requirements by the stated
deadlines.

Day One Course Goals:
- Increase understanding of how to engage teens
- Increase understanding of creating effective partnerships
- Increase understanding of how to plan effective programming for teens
- Increase understanding of how to use technology effectively with teens
- Increase skills in using photo editing software and READ CD content to create
  effective teen projects and marketing materials

Day One Course Requirements: By the end of the course you agree to:
- Fully participate in regional workshop activities
- Select and use at least one new way to engage teens during TTW, March 4-10,
  2012
- Develop a partnership with another school, public library or other organization for
  TTW (either to market/promote TTW, or to present the TTW programs/activities)
- Create an action plan for the TTW activities or programs
- Host an event during TTW where teens create a project **using photo editing
  software and READ CD content**
- Submit details about this teen created TTW project by deadline of March 30, 2012.
  (Template for project submission will be provided.)
- Attend April 6th Workshop in Boise (travel will be reimbursed)
- Submit Teens and Technology Final Report by deadline of March 30, 2012

Day Two Course Goals:

- Increase skills in using photo editing software and READ CD content to create marketing materials
- Increase understanding of how to use technology effectively with teens
- Increase knowledge of existing technology and software tools and how they can be used effectively in a library setting

Day Two Course Requirements: By the end of the course you agree to:
- Fully participate in regional workshop activities
- Host a Teen Tech Week event at my library during the week of March 4-10, 2012
- Create marketing materials to engage teens using photo editing software and READ CD content. (Teens **could be** involved in the creation of these materials.)
- Submit TTW marketing project details by deadline of March 30, 2012 (Template for project submission will be provided.)
- Submit Teens and Technology Final Report by deadline of March 30, 2012

Interested in seeing draft agendas for the regional workshops? Click below:

Day One Draft Agenda
Day Two Draft Agenda

Examples of Teen Tech Week Project, Day One: Using photo editing software and READ CD content, teens can make posters, bookmarks, business cards, magnets, temporary tattoos, iron-on decals, and window clings. All these examples will be demonstrated during the day two workshop. Participants can develop additional projects as long as they require the use of the READ CD content.

Examples of Teen Tech Week Project, Day Two: The purpose of this project is to use photo editing software and the READ CD content to create marketing materials that will encourage teens to participate in library events. All the examples mentioned above can be used, but the teens will not necessarily create them. Asking teens for their ideas as to what appeals to teens is a good way to involve teens and create marketing materials that teens will actually respond to.

April 6 Workshop: In this one-day meeting we share ideas about what worked and what didn't work in developing, marketing, presenting, and evaluating a teen program, brainstorm solutions to challenges, celebrate successes, network, and discuss how to improve Teen Tech Week and teen programming. We showcase each of the projects submitted and recognize exemplary work through the presentation of valuable resources you can use with teens.

Travel Reimbursement

Regional Workshops: For those participants attending both days of the regional workshop and who travel over 120 miles round trip, ICfL will reimburse for one night lodging.

April 6 Final Workshop: We will pay for the night of April 5 unless airline schedules require an additional night or if a participant has to drive three or more hours to get home from Boise. Participants must pay for any meals or other miscellaneous items charged to their rooms. State per diem rates will apply for meals.

Are you ready to register?? If so click one of the links below:
[January 19-20, Coeur d'Alene Workshop](#)
[January 26-27, Boise Workshop](#)
[January 30-31, Blackfoot Workshop](#)
[February 2-3, Gooding Workshop](#)

Have questions?
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